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May 12, 2022

By ECF

The Honorable Sidney H. Stein United States District Judge Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007 **MEMO ENDORSED**

Re: United States v. Maulabaksh Gorgeech, et al., 21 Cr. 559 (SHS)

Dear Judge Stein:

The Government respectfully writes on behalf of the parties in the above-captioned case to request that the Court adjourn the status conference that is currently scheduled for May 19, 2022, at 3:00 p.m, for a period of approximately 60 days. The additional time would permit the defense counsel to continue reviewing discovery, and for the parties to continue discussing a potential pretrial disposition of this matter.

In light of this joint request, the Government also moves for the exclusion of time under the Speedy Trial Act, Title 18, United States Code, Sections 3161(h)(7)(A), until approximately July 19, 2022 or any alternative date set by the Court, in order to afford time for the defense to continue their review of discovery, and to engage in discussions regarding any potential for a pretrial disposition accordingly. The defense consents to this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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The conference is adjourned to July 19, 2022, at 4:30 p.m. The time is excluded from calculation under the Speedy Trial Act from today until July 19, 2022. The Court finds that the ends of justice served by this continuance outweigh the best interests of the public and the defendants in a speedy trial pursuant to 18 U.S.C. 3161(h)(7)(A).

Dated: New York, New York

May 12, 2022

SO ORDERED:

Sidney/H. Stein, U.S.D.J.